



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

JAMES BROWN : EXAMINER: MORRISON, N.M.

SERIAL NO.: 10/039,573

FILED: JANUARY 07, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT: 3632

FOR: TOOL HANGER

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

JAN 1 4 2003 GROUP 3600

MADAM:

Applicant hereby respectfully requests that a **one** month extension of time be granted to <u>January 10, 2003</u> for filing a response to the Official Action dated September 10, 2002. Applicant claims small entity status. Therefore the fee amount is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$55.00 is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Dean T. Woodward

Registration Number 47,185

16 St. Andrews Ct. Durham, NC 27707

Telephone (919) 402-1473